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The Applicants have carefully considered this application in connection with the Final Rejection electronically delivered August 13, 2009, and respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.